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TELEGRAMS. CONDENSED.

GERMANY HAS ASKED FOR THE ABOLITION OF PRISON CAMPS IN INDIA. COUNTER-ATTACKS ON NEW FRENCH POSITIONS WERE REPULSED. THE BRITISH CLEARED TWO LINES OF ENEMY TRENCHES FOR 200 YARDS. GEN. CASTELNAU SAYS ADVENT OF NEW BRITISH ARMIES IS IMPORTANT. GENERAL CASTELNAU SAYS:—"WE HAVE THE GERMANS BY THE EARS." AN ATHENS MESSAGE SAYS THE PIRAEUS IS CONTROLLED BY THE FRENCH. THE KAISER MADE A BOASTFUL SPEECH TO AUSTRO-GERMAN TROOPS. BRITISH FOR POSITIONS OF REAL TACTICAL VALUE NEAR GUDECOURT. BRITISH ARTILLERY IS PLASTERING THE GERMAN FRONT IN FRANCE. M. VENIZELOS SAYS HALF OLD AND NINE-TENTHS OF NEW GREECE IS WITH HIM. M. VENIZELOS SAYS THE KING LED GREECE TO BRINK OF PRECIPICE. THE ITALIANS HAVE CAPTURED A BATTERY IN THE COSMAGONE AREA. A RUSSIAN SUBMARINE CAPTURED A TURKISH TRANSPORT IN BLACK SEA. THE RUSSIANS HAVE REPELLED ENEMY ATTACKS AT MANY POINTS. THE RUSSIANS HAVE CARRIED ENEMY TRENCHES NORTH OF KORYTITZA. FRENCH AEROPLANES CO-OPERATED IN FIGHTING WITH SPLENDID EFFECT. ON SATURDAY THE FRENCH TOOK 1,100 PRISONERS IN ONE SECTOR. THE SERBIANS ARE ADVANCING ON THE LEFT BANK OF THE CERNA. FRENCH CAVALRY HAVE CUT THE RAILWAY LINE SOUTH OF SERES.

[All telegrams appearing in large type are the latest, having been received during the course of the day. Those in small type have come through over-night.]

THE GREEK CRISIS.

A Stubborn Monarch.

[Reuter's Service to the "Telegraph."]

October 15, 6.10 a.m.
According to Reuter's correspondent at Salonica, M. Venizelos, interviewed by Reuter, said half of Old Greece and nine-tenths of the population of New Greece and all the islands were on his side. The Provisional Government did not contemplate making further representations to the King, as it was hopeless to expect King Constantine to change.

"Led to the Brink of a Precipice by a Conscienceless Monarchy"

October 15, 6.10 a.m.
A message from Reuter's correspondent at Salonica, dated the 13th inst., says:—"A banquet held last night, M. Venizelos, in a speech, said that the people had been led to the brink of a precipice by a conscienceless monarchy and forced to disown their alliance with Serbia. The people must be organised on a military basis to expel the Bulgarians and to do their duty to the Serbians, whose heroism has won the admiration of the world."

M. Venizelos, continuing, said that King Constantine believed himself King of Greece by the Grace of God, thus violating the Constitution. The National Assembly must be convoked after the war to erect an inviolable rampart against future violations by the monarch.

The speech was received with cheers, and cries of "Down with the King!" and "Down with traitors!"

The Piraeus Now Controlled by the French.

October 15, 6.25 p.m.
Reuter's correspondent at Athens says that the Piraeus is now controlled by the French, who occupy the forts overlooking the harbour. Allied officers control the police in Athens and the Piraeus.

THE KAISER'S LATEST SPEECH.

October 15, 6.25 a.m.
Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam says:—"The Kaiser, in addressing the Austro-German troops in the East, said:—"When you again attack the enemy let your war cries be 'He shall not break through. He shall be beaten.' Each of you equal three or even six of your enemies. The enemy's front must be crushed by an iron wall."

GERMANY AND INDIAN PRISON CAMPS.

October 14, 10.00 p.m.
According to Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam, during the debate in the Reichstag on the treatment of prisoners of war, a representative of the Government stated that Germany had asked for the abolition of prisoner camps in India. He added, however, that the news received of past complaints on the subject was not justified.

MORE SINKINGS.

October 14, 10.00 p.m.
The Russian steamer Meroator and the Rumanian steamer Biarritz have been sunk.

OUR ARMOURD CARS IN ASIA MINOR.

October 15, 6.10 a.m.
A message from Petrograd states the Tsar has received Commander Locker-Lampson, who is commanding the British armoured cars, which have experienced exciting times in Asia Minor, operating four hundred miles from any railway and being dependent on bullock tracks on the mountains. The cars have had to be hauled up gradients and then lowered by ropes. Frequently the rocks ripped the tanks, which were ingeniously patched up with shaving soap and medical plaster and re-started within a couple of hours.

Commander Locker-Lampson was ambushed in the region of Mush and drove up the hillside for many miles, finally charging the river. He escaped, though the car was riddled with bullets.

The cars have frequently been in action most successfully, damaging the Turks, capturing villages and travelling night and day in the treeless Mush plain. They had constantly to bridge gullies, bogs and rivers with wood obtained from sparse villages.

A number of the officers and men were decorated for bravery. One squadron is now operating in Persia, to the south of Lake Urmia.

TELEGRAMS.

THE ALLIED OFFENSIVE.

German Counter-Attack in Great Strength.

[Reuter's Service to the "Telegraph."]

October 15, 1.00 p.m.
Reuter's correspondent at Headquarters says:—"We advanced well over the plateau on the Genti Boun (sic) slope, with the result that the Germans regained to some extent direct observation for their artillery fire. The ground is very dead and practically shelterless."

We captured several positions of real tactical advantage beyond Guedeourt. The Germans in great strength counter-attacked, with costly results to themselves. Our casualties were light, but in many places the ground was absolutely littered with German dead.

Our heavy artillery is now plastering the German front, crumbling their defences and exacting a big toll of casualties.

"We have the Germans by the Ears."

October 15, 6.25 a.m.
According to Reuter's correspondent at the French Headquarters, General Castelnau, addressing correspondents, said the advent of the new British armies was an event of the highest importance. Their dash had astonished the Germans. The speeches in the Reichstag showed that the British Army is now Germany's main pre-occupation. "We have the Germans by the ears and will shake them till their brains are added."

Clearing Out Enemy Trenches.

October 15, 3.30 p.m.
General Sir Douglas Haig, in a communique, says:—"North of the Staff Redoubt, two lines of enemy communication trenches were cleared for a distance of two hundred yards."

The text of the communique is:—"Further reports show that enterprises undertaken yesterday in the neighbourhood of the Staff and Schwaben Redoubts were highly successful."

North of the Staff Redoubt, two lines of enemy communication trenches were cleared for a distance of nearly two hundred yards, and a hundred prisoners were taken. The operation was carried out by a single company.

Our line was advanced well to the north and the west of the Schwaben Redoubt, and heavy losses were inflicted on the enemy. The total prisoners taken in both operations were three hundred. Enemy trenches were entered at night to the west of Sarre, north of B. clinicourt, north-east of Festubert and north of Neuve Chapelle. Prisoners were taken, and considerable damage was done to the enemy's defences.

French Repulse Counter-Attacks.

October 15, 3.30 p.m.
A Paris communique states:—"Enemy counter-attacks on our new positions south of the Somme were repulsed."

Fine Work by French Aeroplanes.

October 15, 4.35 p.m.
A Paris communique states:—"We have maintained and consolidated all our gains."

Despite low-lying clouds, our aeroplanes co-operated most effectively in the fighting, and surpassed all that was expected of them. One returned riddled with over two hundred bullets. Two pilots employed machine-guns on enemy trenches at short range, flying very low.

French Capture 1,100 Prisoners.

October 16, 12.20 a.m.
A Paris communique states that eleven hundred prisoners were captured on the 14th inst. in the Ablaincourt-Belloy sector.

More British Progress.

October 16, 12.20 a.m.
General Sir Douglas Haig, in an official message, says:—"Our line has been advanced slightly to the north east of Guedeourt. Enemy artillery has been active between Les Boeufs and Courcellette, and also in the neighbourhood of the Schwaben Redoubt. In the Andre valley, we took forty-seven prisoners."

TURKISH TRANSPORT CAPTURED.

October 15, 4.10 p.m.
A Russian communique states that a Russian submarine captured a 6,000-ton Turkish transport commanded by German officers in the Black Sea, near the Bosphorus, after an hour's fight. The vessel was taken to Sebastopol.

RUSSIANS REPEL MANY ATTACKS.

October 15, 4.10 p.m.
A Russian communique states:—"Enemy attacks in the region of Skrobov were repulsed with heavy losses. We carried trenches to the north of Korytitz and repelled counter-attacks with heavy losses. Enemy attacks at Killibaba, Dornawatra and in Dobradja were repelled."

ITALIANS CAPTURE A BATTERY.

October 15, 7.45 p.m.
An Italian official message says the Italians have progressed further towards Mount Rite, and have captured an enemy battery four mountain guns and much ammunition in the Cosmagone area.

IN THE BALKANS.

French Cavalry Cut Railway Line.

October 16, 12.20 a.m.
A Paris communique states that the Serbians are advancing on the left bank of the Cerna, while the French cavalry have cut the railway line to the south of Seres.

[In the event of telegrams arriving too late for insertion on this page they will be found on Page 2 of the Extra.]

TELEGRAMS.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

LONDON UNIVERSITY PASSES.

[Reuter's Service to the "Telegraph."]

October 13, 12.45 p.m.
The University of London passes in the first examination for medical degrees include V.E.P. Seniraratne and L.D.C. Telephon, and in the second examination A. C. Fernando, all of Ceylon Medical College.

WHY GENERAL SMUTS IS DELAYED.

October 13, 12.45 p.m.
A telegram from Capetown states that before the British occupied Dar-es-Salaam the Germans ran all the engines and rolling stock of the Central Railway into the harbour. This doubtless considerably delays General Smuts's operations.

BRITISH AND GERMAN PRISONERS.

October 13, 12.45 p.m.
In the House of Commons, Mr. Lloyd George announced that the total number of German prisoners in British hands was: Military, 36,584; Naval, 2,108; while the approximate number of British prisoners in Germany was: Military, 29,653; Naval, 408.

BRITISH MAN POWER.

Every Young Man Needed.

October 13, 12.45 p.m.
The "Times" states that it is believed that the Man Power Board is convinced that every young man in the country must be definitely placed in the national service.

A Million Exemptions.

October 13, 3.15 p.m.
In the House of Commons, Mr. Lloyd George stated that there were a million exemptions, with which the Government was dealing.

If the present powers were insufficient, he would consult the House regarding the steps that should be taken.

They were determined that all the country's resources of wealth and man power should be utilised to the utmost to win the war.

He assured the House that Britain and the Allies would make every effort to protect Rumania, against whom there was no doubt that Germany was concentrating her strength in the hope of crushing her.

THE GREEK CRISIS.

Athens Unmoved by Recent Events.

October 13, 12.45 p.m.
The "Times" correspondent at Athens states that that city is unmoved at the Allies' action regarding the fleet, because the fleet was recently offered by anti-Ententists, while concentration had begun in Thessaly of troops, guns and stores, in the rear of the Allied armies.

A Further Allied Note.

October 13, 7.10 p.m.
Reuter's correspondent at Athens telegraphs that Admiral Fournet addressed to the Government a further Note, in which, it is believed, he is demanding an explanation of the despatch of artillery and ammunition to Larissa. The Cabinet deliberated on the situation for four hours. The Chief of the General Staff was present. The Premier stated that it was practically certain that the Entente would recognise the new Cabinet.

The Demands Conceded.

October 13, 10.50 p.m.
The Crown Council has accepted Admiral Fournet's Note, mentioned earlier, in which he demanded control of the Greek police, prohibition of the citizens to carry arms, prohibition of the despatch of war material to Thessaly and the lifting of the embargo of the exportation of wheat from Thessaly.

Bulgarians Must Be Expelled.

October 14, 1.50 p.m.
A telegram from Salonica states that M. Venizelos had a tremendous ovation at a banquet in his honour by the provisional Government. In the course of a speech, he emphasised that the Bulgarians must be expelled from Greece. Reference to the latter's duty to Serbia evoked great enthusiasm. It was announced that after the war a convocation of the National Assembly would be held with the object of establishing safeguards against the violation of the Constitution by the Monarchical chief.

Important Developments.

October 14, 6.15 a.m.
A telegram from Athens states that a station on the Larissa railway has been seized, preventing the departure of a munitions train and two field batteries to Larissa.

French sailors occupied the islands of Leros and Kyra in the Gulf of Salamis, which were munitions depots for the Greek fleet.

The movements of Greek troops inland recently comprised the posting of a division at the Royal domain at Tatoi, which was fortified with breastworks, entanglements and gun emplacements.

The fanatical Royalists did not conceal their plans, viz.—if the Allies sought to coerce Greece to interfere, or to force M. Venizelos upon the King, then the latter would retire with his troops to Trikkala, in Thessaly, there to await a German army, with which to attack the Allies.

The French Admiral's ultimatum against the King, and the Greek Government's ultimatum against the King, were both received.

TELEGRAMS.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

NEW BISHOP.

[Reuter's Service to the "Telegraph."]
London, Received, October 15.
The Rev. Lord William Grosvenor Cecil has been appointed Bishop of Exeter.

SPERRY FLOUR.

Interesting Demonstrations in Hongkong.

Although the Sperry flour products have been sold in China for about 30 years, and have in that time enjoyed a deserved popularity, a special effort is being made at the present time to bring to the notice of all concerned with cooking the undoubted advantages which this firm's products possess over the ordinary sorts of meal and flour, and in this connection Hongkong has been paid a visit by Mrs. Belle de Graf, who is a Domestic Science Teacher, and a graduate of the University of California. The visit has been a success in every way, lectures with practical demonstrations having been given at various places.

On Friday a large number of ladies attended at the Helena May Institute, a cooking school being held in the Lecture Room. After the peculiar properties possessed by the various specialties of the firm had been explained, cooking was carried out, angel cakes, cream puffs with banana cream filling, Yorkshire pudding, puff-overs and fluff cakes being made, the satisfaction which can be derived from the use of Sperry flour products being amply demonstrated. Pancake flour, Encore flour and rolled oats were used, these being the three principal brands.

A demonstration was also given at the Bellios Girls School and to the girls at St. Stephen's College, in both cases the pupils and tutors evincing a great deal of interest.

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OPEN-AIR CONCERT.

There was a very large attendance at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club on Saturday evening on the occasion of an open-air concert in aid of War Charities given by The Venus Dramatic Company, Mrs. H. Evans and Mr. A. J. England. Fortunately the evening was fine and the programme proving in every way to be enjoyable, a most pleasant evening was spent. The band of the 18th Infantry (by kind permission of Major Morgan, and others) gave selections prior to the concert and also later in the evening. Many scores had to be given by various contributors to the programme, those assisting being:—Mrs. H. Evans, Messrs. F. Hickman, A. J. England, F. Harwood, A. King, J. Martin, E. Hutton, F. Waterman, P. J. Levers, G. Crocker, and Oliff. The accompaniments were played by Lieut. R. L. Bridges, R.N.R., and Mr. A. E. Silksone.

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Bijou Theatre—9.15 p.m.
New Hongkong Cinematograph—9.15 p.m.
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War Savings.

London Sept. 2.—The National War Savings Committee report that the total number of war savings certificates issued up to August 19 was 27,022,942. During the week ending on that date the issue numbered 2,581,636, made up as follows:—Monday, 440,358; Tuesday, 538,342; Wednesday, 127,147; Thursday, 352,972; Friday, 486,832; Saturday, 658,073. The total number of applications for Post Office exchequer bonds to August 19 was 914,000, the bonds being £29,300,000 in value. For the particular week named the applications were 16,000, and the value of the bonds purchased £400,000.

Japan and South America.

According to the U.S. Consul-General in Peru, the Japanese Government recently instructed the Japanese Consul-General at Lima to make an extensive tour of Chile, Argentina, Uruguay, and Paraguay, with a view to seeking commercial information for the improvement of the trade of Japan with these countries. A company with a large capital has been organized in Yokohama whose chief business will be the importing and exporting of goods from and to the Pacific Coast countries. Recently two of the most powerful Japanese steamship companies have been developing their service along the west coast of South America. Prior to the war these companies had no regular schedule, but now they maintain a monthly service of steamers.

Shanghai Masonry.

On October 6, B. W. Bro. Stacey A. Ransom, assisted by B. W. Bro. Ivy and officers of District Grand Lodge, opened the Masonic season by installing the officers elect of Shanghai Lodge Masons—cheviets Constitution for the ensuing year. There was quite a large representative gathering of the brethren present. The following were the officers installed:—Wor. Bro. J. A. Nield, I. P. M.; Wor. Bro. C. Powell, W. M.; Wor. Bro. H. W. Strike, S. W.; Wor. Bro. E. O. Thomas, J. W.; Wor. Bro. F. J. W. Melville, Treasurer; Wor. Bro. C. Houghton, Secretary; Wor. Bro. W. F. Dearn, S. D.; Wor. Bro. C. S. Hepturn, J. W.; Wor. Bro. H. Radford, Marshal; Wor. Bro. G. Marshall, Chaplain; Wor. Bro. W. Jones, S. S.; Wor. Bro. G. Sale, J. S.; Wor. Bro. T. J. Broderick, Organist; Wor. Bro. J. J. H. Dearn, I. S.; Wor. Bro. C. Matthews, Tyler.

"America will Fight any Nation!"

Omaha, Nebraska, October 6.—In an address delivered here last evening President Wilson declared that America was prepared to fight any nation on earth, if the cause for war was a just one, but strongly condemned an attitude, in which he said that some of his opponents shared, that would make for war without ample reason. In a speech given before the commercial club here at luncheon, the president made a statement that is being interpreted by republican leaders to be a virtual admission of probable defeat at the polls. The president's words were: "The verdict of the coming years on the achievements of the democratic party and the accomplishments of this administration is more important than the verdict of 1916."—*Manila Bulletin*.

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GENERAL NEWS.

No More "Williams."
The growing disinclination to give children the name of William is only what might have been expected, for names have always been subject to fluctuations of taste or prejudice. But probably William is at present the commonest of all Christian names in this country, and, unlike some of its rivals it has had a steady vogue ever since the Conqueror introduced it. Whether William or John has been the more typically English name is for the experts to say. John must have had a period of unpopularity about the time of Magna Charta.

No Parley with Germans.
The Trade Union Congress at its meeting in Birmingham was recommended by its Parliamentary Committee to accept an invitation from the American Federation of Labour to take part in an International Labour Congress to be held at the same time and in the same place as the Conference of the belligerent nations which will settle the terms of peace. This recommendation the delegates rejected by a majority of two to one, not because they thought that labour was not entitled to express its view on the terms of settlement, but because they refused to parley, even at that late stage of the war, with the Socialists of Germany and her allies.

Sir Horace Rumbold.
Sir Horace Rumbold, British Minister to Switzerland in succession to Sir Evelyn Grant Duff, who leaves Bern on the 15th inst., is the eldest son of the late Sir Horace Rumbold, was at Eton, went into diplomacy, and has had some good appointments, going in 1909 to Tokyo as Counsellor of Embassy, at forty, from Madrid, where he was first Secretary, and then to Berlin under Sir Edward Goschen. Like his father, Sir Horace is an excellent linguist, with a fair knowledge of Persian and Japanese. He married Miss Etheldred Fane, the pretty younger daughter of the late Sir Edmund Fane. Sir Horace Rumbold's hobbies, and is fond of sports generally. Lady Rumbold's only brother is Mr. Neville Fane, whose wife is Lord Clinton's elder daughter, and co-heiress with her sister to the ancient Clinton barony.

ALCOHOL AND BENZOL.

Interesting to Motorists.

Germany suffers from very much curtailed importation of petroleum. Even the supplies from Galicia failed to cope with the demand, and accordingly the authorities were faced with a serious shortage. The technical department of their transportation service was at once ordered to seek a combustible that would furnish an effective substitute for gasoline. The result was the employment of a mixture of alcohol and benzol, and the practical tests are said to have satisfactorily solved the petrol question. Experiments as to the utility of the compound were worked out with a Mercedes car, 1914 touring model with carburettor of ordinary type. Burning pure gasoline, a speed of 44 miles an hour was attained, one pint of fuel driving the car 3.6 miles. With pure benzol the speed was 42 miles per hour and the mileage per pint 3.70. The results for various proportions of the mixture were:

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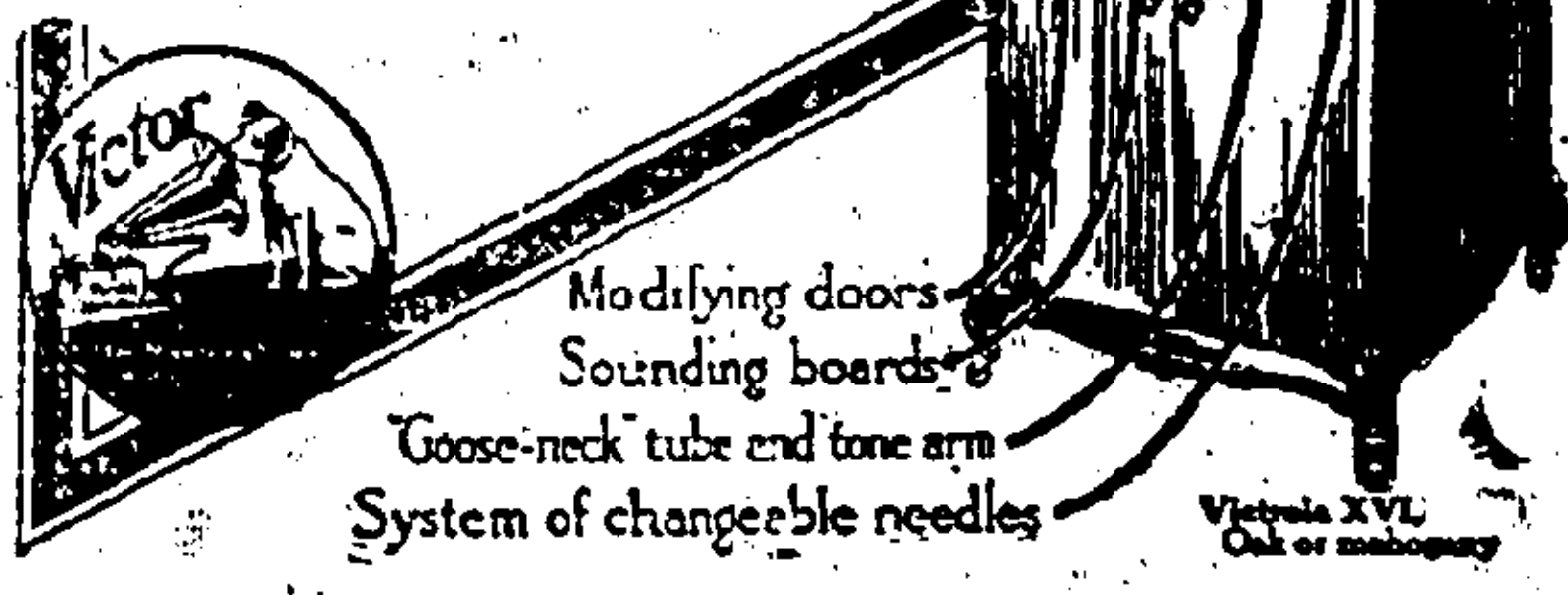
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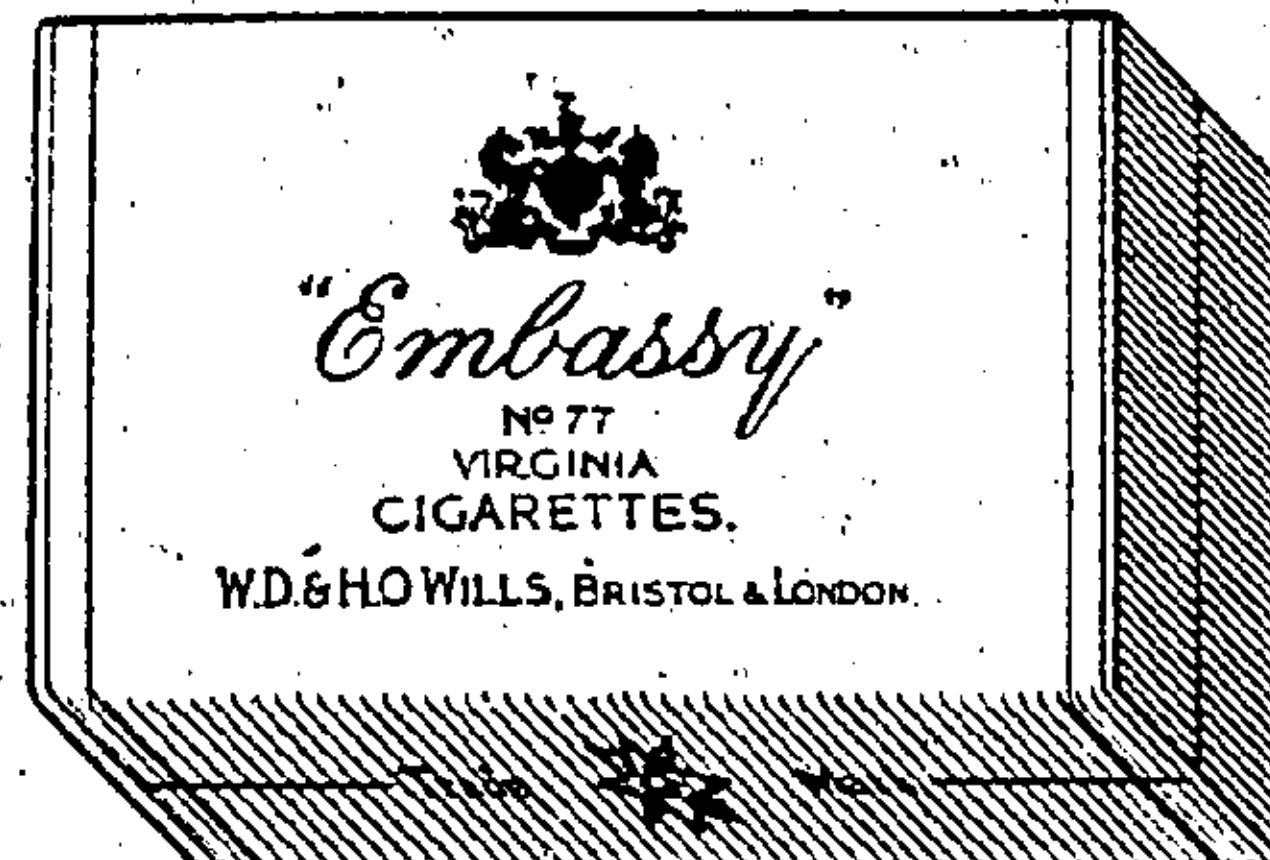
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"HONGKONG TELEGRAPH."

The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1916.

WHEN PEACE COMES.

The other day, in taking notice of the demands of a certain
section among the Labourites at Home for an assurance that steps
shall be taken to avoid any large degree of unemployment after the
war, we pointed out the great opportunities which would be present-
ed to the Government to utilise its control over capital and industry
in such a way that work might easily be found for all. Because of
the war, the State has come into a far larger measure of land and
factory ownership than ever before, and there has thus sprung into
being a new set of conditions which might easily, when the war is
ended, be turned to the manifest advantage of the workers and of
the country's trade alike. It is certain that the adverse effects of
the war will be felt industrially for a very long time after the cessa-
tion of hostilities, but we may also expect to see numberless con-
sequences arising which were never anticipated or thought probable.
In this way, peace may be counted upon to have many surprises in
store for us.

But it is not alone in England that these new happenings may
be looked for. Mr. Warner Allen, the British Press Representative
with the French Armies, has, we notice, been writing on future prob-
abilities in France, laying stress on a point which is, we fear, very
largely overlooked—the constructive side of the war. It is a common
enough experience to hear people talking of the terribly destructive
effects of modern warfare, and it comes therefore as somewhat
of a relief to find a writer dilating upon the material benefits which
may reasonably be expected to flow from it. According to the author-
ity we have mentioned, there are very many places in France that
have for years been clamouring for light railway facilities, and now
the exigencies of modern war have provided them with a profusion
of railway communications beyond their wildest dreams. It will
possibly be argued that much of the rails will have been torn up by
shell-fire, but Mr. Warner Allen says the tracks will remain, none
the less. Another point which must not be lost sight of is that all along
the front the roads have been broadened and multiplied, while hun-
dreds of wells have been bored in localities which, before the war, were
practically barren and unpopulated, and which will now enjoy
abundance of water.

Of all the points which Mr. Warner Allen touches
upon in his article perhaps the most important is that
which deals with the future of the huge factories which have been
brought into being for the purposes of the war. Certain of these
may not be easy to transform into centres of ordinary industrial en-
terprise, but it is stated that those which have been constructed for
the preparation of acids, tar products, powder and explosives—all
required for war purposes—can, as soon as peace is assured, be
quickly converted into works that will make artificial perfumes,
photographic materials, pharmaceutical products and both organic
and inorganic chemical dyes. Already, it seems, the way is being
paved for this important transformation, a number of
powerful associations having been formed for the purpose. Without
going further into the question, it will be seen what wonderful
possibilities there are along these lines in the future. The effects of
war are admittedly destructive rather than constructive, but, while
that is so, the fact now appears fairly clear that, because of the
vast machinery which has to be brought into being, there is another
and a more beneficial side to warfare as it is conducted in modern
times.

Chinese Language School.

No more worthy object could
command the attention of the
Hongkong General Chamber of
Commerce than, to use the words
of its circular letter concerning
the establishment of a Chinese
Language School, "to cultivate a
taste for Chinese studies in the
spoken and written languages, by
opening up an outlook that con-
templates mutually sympathetic
and helpful relations with the
Chinese through the medium
of their language and
literature." The fact re-
quires very little emphasis
that we Britishers have been
shamefully behind the people of
other nations in acquiring the use
of foreign tongues. Indeed, it is
something little short of a mystery
that, with the general ignorance
of the Chinese language which
prevails among British business
men in the Far East, we should
have made the commercial and
shipping progress which we have
in this part of the globe. In this
respect, the Germans, through
their willingness to learn the
tongue and to adapt them-
selves to the peculiar conditions,
were, before the war, fast over-
taking us. Now our eyes have
been opened to the facts, and the
movement which the Chamber of
Commerce has set on foot there-
fore comes at a particularly
opportune moment.

Possible Improvements.

So far as the course of study
goes, the scheme appears to have
been very carefully and compre-
hensively drawn up, and the
knowledge gained by students
who go through the syllabus laid
down should be of inestimable
value to themselves and to the
firms in whose employment they
are. But we think there are
some respects in which the
conditions might with advantage
be altered. In the first place,
the fees appear to us to be rather
on the high side, especially for
young men who, for their own
improvement's sake, would like
to gain a good grasp of the
language, but who would have
to bear the cost of instruction
themselves. Similarly, the hours
—from three to four o'clock
three days a week—might
have been better chosen, for
most of the local business houses
are at the moment short-staffed,
and very few of even the larger
firms could spare three or four of
its men for an hour in the busiest
part of the day. In normal times
that difficulty would hardly be
experienced. We are aware that
the idea is to regard the instruc-
tion as part and parcel of a man's
training and, therefore, that the
employer should allow it to be
undertaken in office hours,
but, at any rate while the
war lasts, an employee would
surely not object to setting aside
three hours a week in the evenings
if his firm met the cost of the
tuition. Then we should also
have liked to have seen the school
thrown open to all Britishers,
whether associated with the
Chamber or not, at uniform fees.
There are probably quite a num-
ber of young men in Hongkong
not employed by members of the
Chamber who would like to take
a sound course of language study.
Nothing, surely, is gained by
asking such to pay an extra five
dollars a month. Why put any
obstacles in the way?

Lord William Cecil.
The appointment of the Rev.
Lord William Cecil to the See of
Exeter will, we should imagine,
give universal satisfaction at
Home. He is a popular scion of
a popular family, and his many
years of hard work as a clergyman,
his strong interest in social and
religious problems, and his
pronounced intellectual abilities
are more than sufficient
to silence any foolish tongues that
would attribute the preference to
family influence. Lord William is
fifty-three years of age and is the
second son of the late Lord
Salisbury, who certainly be-
queathed him a generous share
of good sense and keen in-
sight. In the midst of a busy life
he has contrived to publish two
books: "Science and Religion"
and "Changing China" in
addition to a number of magazine
and newspaper articles. Exeter
diocese need to be known as one
of the hardest to control, many
of its clergy having a little habit
of being a law unto themselves;
and the Cecil administrative
ability should now have a chance
of exercising itself in an ex-
ceedingly valuable manner.

DAY BY DAY.

AND HE IS OFF THE WISEST MAN
WHO IS NOT WISE AT ALL.—Words-
worth.

The Weather.
At the Peak 8 a.m. Temp. 70;
sunshine. (1915, 73 fine.)
Lower level 8 a.m. Temp. 77;
sunshine. (1915, 89 fine.)

The Mails.
American, Canadian and U. K.
Mails.—Close tomorrow
per s.s. Nippon Maru at 9
a.m. and per s.s. Ixion at 3
p.m.
Siberian Mail.—Closes per s.s. Lu-
chow at 3 p.m. tomorrow.

The Dollar.
The opening rate of the dollar
on demand to-day was 2s. 2.7/16d.

To-morrow's Anniversary.
To-morrow is the 138th anni-
versary of the surrender of the
British forces to the Colonists at
Saratoga.

Billiards.
To-night, in connection with
the Palace Hotel billiards handi-
cap, Mr. Parker (owns 200) meets
Mr. Kelly (owns 80) in the semi-
final.

Fatal Sequel to Explosion.
In the explosion which took
place early on Saturday morning
at 333, Shanghai Street, Yau-mat,
one man was fatally injured. On
the body were multiple wounds,
apparently caused by the explo-
sion of a bomb.

Bijou Theatre.
The new instalments of the
popular film "The Broken Coin"
have been well received at the
Bijou Theatre, some Keystone
comedies forming, adding attrac-
tions. The 11th and 12th episodes
will be shown to-night and to-
morrow.

Boy Drowned.
The mistress of cargo boat 3124
D. has reported to the Police that
while her boat was alongside the
Chofu Maru, leading rice, her
nephew, aged 18 years, fell over-
board between two junks and was
drowned. The body has not yet
been recovered.

Hongkong Theatre.
There were good houses at the
new Hongkong Theatre on Satur-
day and Sunday nights, when
the first and second episodes of
the new American serial, "The
Million Dollar Mystery" were
given. The film promises to be
a very great success.

Reckless Ricksha Coolie.
A ricksha coolie was fined \$2,
by Mr. C. D. Melbourne at the
Magistrate's Court this morning,
for driving his ricksha in a reckless
manner. It appeared that he
knocked a boy down, the wheel
of the ricksha passing over him.
The defendant ran away.

Blake Pier Case.
Mr. C. D. Melbourne to-day
fined a Chinese \$1 for sitting on
a seat on Blake Pier which was
reserved for women and children.
A lunking asked the man to move,
but he refused. Sergeant Black-
man told his Worship that these
people had to be kept in order
but this man was trying to "show
off."

Formerly in Hongkong.
Word has been received from
Sergeant Ansell, B.G.A., who went
to the front from Hongkong last
year, to the effect that he has
been given a commission. Sergeant
Ansell was a familiar figure in
Hongkong after the war broke
out, as he held the appointment
of Garrison Provost Sergeant.

Concealed Tobacco.
Another offence under the Im-
portation of Tobacco Ordinance
was before Mr. C. D. Melbourne
at the Police Court this morning,
a Chinese being charged with
importing tobacco worth \$350
without a permit. Revenue Officer
Lunnigan deposed to the "weed"
being concealed in a basket of
medicine. A fine of \$5 was
imposed.

The Colony's Health.
The return of communicable
diseases shows that during last
week there were four cases of
enteric fever (two fatal), four of
small-pox (one fatal), and one
fatal occurrence each of plague
and diphtheria. All the sufferers
were Chinese save one British
case of enteric. Since January 1,
there have been 87 cases of plague,
of which all but one have ended
fatally.

JOTTINGS BY THE WAY.

The L and C Express observes
that the five thousand Chinese
who have gone to France "will
not come into armed contact with
the Kaiser's troops."—Curiously
enough, that point had already
struck us. We understood that
what finally persuaded Sir
Douglas Haig to keep the two
forces apart was a conviction that
the Chinese troops could teach
the Crown Prince nothing new in
the looting line.

Says a local contemporary: "A
telegram from Christianity states
that Germany has promised an
indemnity for the sinking of the
battered Norway steamer."—
Christianity has certainly played
a prominent part in the campaign,
but we were not aware that it was
sending any battered telegrams
on the sinking of battered
Norwegian boats.

Another contemporary, that is
always great on French words and
phrases, could possibly tell us if
it would be correct to describe the
gentleman who lost the sole of his
dress shoe, on mounting to the
Peak car the other night, as *deplis*.
(Acute accent on the second 'E',
please Mr. Comp.)

"A guard of honour composed
of the R.A.M.C. detachment of
the Saiyungpun School was drawn
up in front of the theatre," says
a local paper.—We take it that
only the gravest pressure of
business kept the Household
Cavalry and Collietstream detach-
ments of the same institution from
also being present.

"Bavaria's mad king is dead,"
says Reuter.—If the Allies are
anything like the people we take
them for, they'll soon send Ger-
many's mad Kaiser to keep him
company.

We have to thank the Singa-
pore Free Press for the following:
"The question of body armour
for soldiers is not a new one. It
was considered by a Parliamen-
tary committee not very long
before the Battle of Waterloo."
Anyone having a piece of armour
in his possession that purports to
date before the Battle of Waterloo
may as well scrap it, for it is
obviously a fake and a blatant
anachronism.

Our congratulations this week
go to the Chinese gentleman who
is reported to have fired a Hong-
kong Government man out of
Canton because he had not on a
wedding garment, or passport, or
something of the sort. There are
times when it is very necessary
and salutary to bring some of our
parish officials to their bearings.

"Oggers, punch, and other
liquids were dispensed in other
parts of the vessel." (*Manila
Bulletin*).—Well; perhaps it's all
right. As soon as we can spare
five minutes, we'll go out and try
an iced ogger with a little bitters
in it.

We strongly resent the
ipseo-donsha-like touch about a
contemporary's assertion that
"President Wilson brought up
the submarine attacks in the
Atlantic."

"The Hangchow Bore, and How
to Get to It," is the title of a
Shanghai publication.—It's curi-
ous how tastes differ; the only
thing we care to know about our
Hongkong bores is not how to get
to them but how to give them a
mim.

LANGKAT OUTPUT.

Measrs. Benjamin and Potts
advise us that the Langkat output
is as follows:—
October 1 ... Tons 146
" 2 ... " 122
" 3 ... " 112
" 4 ... " 101
" 5 ... " 137
" 6 ... " 118
" 7 ... " 107
" 8 ... " 116
" 9 ... " 113
" 10 ... " 125
" 11 ... " 130
" 12 ... " 118
" 13 ... " 109
" 14 ... " 118
" 15 ... " 118
Total to 15th inst. 1,788
Daily average 119.20

LOCAL SPORT.

CRICKET.

University v. Civil Service.

The above match was played at
Happy Valley, and resulted in an
easy victory for the University.
The scores were:—

University.		Civil Service.	
A. de Sousa, ht. wt. b. Hamil-	ton ...	17	
J. E. Wright, c. Lambie, b.	Hamilton ...	42	
K. Braysbay, c. Woolley, b.	Hamilton ...	2	
A. H. Ramjahn, c. Lambie, b.	Ling ...	20	
Ng Sze Kwong, b. Ling ...	1		
R. Anderson, c. Hill, b. Ling ...	1		
D. P. Dixon, b. Hamilton ...	5		
Chow Yat Cheong, b. Hamilton ...	2		
J. C. Thivy, b. Hamilton ...	0		
D. D. Samy, not out ...	25		
Extras ...	12		
Total ...	148		

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Hamilton ...	15.2	4	41	7
Southerton ...	6	1	29	0
Mason ...	3	0	28	0
Ling ...	6	0	38	3

Civil Service.		University.	
P. T. Lambie, ht. wt. b. Bray-	shaw ...	14	
E. W. Dawson, c. Braysbay, b.	Marley ...	2	
C. F. Mason, b. Braysbay ...	5		
R. G. Southerton, c. and b.	Marley ...	15	
E. W. Hamilton, b. Marley ...	0		
F. Ling, b. Braysbay ...	12		
O. J. Tacchi, c. Ramjahn, b.	Braysbay ...	3	
W. Hill, c. Dixon, b. Marley ...	0		
F. Bearne, b. Marley ...	4		
O. Sara, b. Braysbay ...	0		
W. J. Woolley, not out ...	2		
Extras ...	18		
Total ...	73		

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Braysbay ...	11	4	25	5
Marley ...	10.2	1	32	5

Kowloon C.C. v. Hongkong C.C.
Kowloon Cricket Club opened
their season in good style on
Saturday, when, playing at home,
they defeated the Hongkong C.C.,
combination by a margin of 20
runs. Stapleton and Robinson
did well with the bat for the win-
ners, while Overy's bowling was
most effective, resulting in the
capture of four wickets at an
average of four pence. For the
losers, Pearce scored a useful 30
while Taylor took five wickets
for 45. Score:—

Kowloon.		Hongkong.	
J. H. Mead, c. Sutton, b. Pearce	0		
J. P. Robinson, c. Austin, b.	Pearce ...	33	
B. D. Evans, b. Taylor ...	23		
W. H. Stapleton, c. Austin, b.	Taylor ...	52	
A. A. Claxton, l.b.w., b. Taylor	18		
J. V. Braga, c. Kennedy, b.	Pearce ...	0	
F. J. de Rome, b. Pearce ...	0		
E. J. Edwards, b. Morgan ...	9		
O. J. Mackenzie, l.b.w. b.	Taylor ...	2	
F. O. Fletcher, c. Morgan, b.	Taylor ...	8	
H. Overy, not out ...	3		
Extras ...	15		
Total ...	159		

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Brand ...	4	0	18	0
Pearce ...	12	0	70	4
Taylor ...	11.20	45	5	
Morgan ...	3	0	11	1

Hongkong.		Kowloon.	
F. Sattar, l.b.w. b. Braga ...	8		
T. E. Pearce, b. Evans ...	30		
L. D. MacNicol, b. Overy ...	18		
R. A. Brand, c. Evans, b. Overy	24		
R. M. Austin, b. Claxton ...	5		
Dr. Aubrey c. Claxton, b.	Braga ...	10	
L. A. Col. Morgan, b. Braga ...	20		
S. E. Green, b. Overy ...	3		
P. Jacks, b. Overy ...	0		
H. H. Taylor, not out ...	9		
R. Kennedy, c. Stapleton, b.	Claxton ...	4	
Extras ...	10		
Total ...	139		

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Braga ...	10	1	42	3
Evans ...	11	0	38	1
Claxton ...	10	2	29	2
Overy ...	8	0	20	4

FOOTBALL.

Venus XI v. Shropshires.
These teams met in a friendly
game at Happy Valley on Satur-
day, and some clean and interest-
ing football was witnessed, half-
time arriving with the score:—
Venus, 2; Shropshires, 1.
Resuming, the sailors at once
attacked, and scored through
Harst. Ladds, at outside-right,
who played a fine game through-
out also scored. Mr. Binks was
an efficient referee. Final:—
Venus, 4; Shropshires, 1.

Hongkong Football Club.
The 29th annual report of the
above Club states:—The Com-
mittee have pleasure in presenting
their report for the past season.
During the period under review
new members joined the club but
owing to the departure of old
members for Home Service to-
gether with those who have left for
other ports, it is difficult to estimate
the number of active members in
the Colony. The season was
successful both financially and
from the playing point of view as
the Association S. C. won the
Shield Competition after defeat-
ing the Royal Engineers—their
rivals for the previous year's hon-
ours—in the final. The stand
receipts were disappointing, but
covered the cost of erection and
the satisfactory sum of
\$351.62 is carried forward to
next season's account.

The Association Section did not
commence the season very hope-
fully. However, as the season
progressed much keenness was
shown and the Club was able to
capture the most coveted trophy,
viz. the shield, which it is hoped
they will be able to retain pos-
session of next year also. The
coming season promises well
and an endeavour will be made
to run an eleven in both divisions
of the League.

The Rugby Section had a very
poor season owing to the absence
of Army and Navy teams. Some
matches took place between teams
selected from the club and such
Service men as remained in the
Colony but owing to the long
periods between each game the
standard of play fell below the
average. The coming season may
perhaps see the Rugby men rais-
ing an association team.

Several old members have fallen
in "The Great Game" and it is
proposed to keep a Roll of Honour.
The annual meeting will be
held in the office of Messrs.
Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd.,
(top floor), by kind permission,
on October 24 at 5.30 p.m.

Club Trial Match.
Considerable interest was shown
in the Club trial match which took
place at Happy Valley on Satur-
day afternoon, when some players
of promise took a hand with the
ball. One, however, cannot
forget the old favourites and
M. L. Raitton, Stewart, Robinson
and Walker still hold the
reins so far as form is concerned.
Parves, Goldenberg, Balston and
N. L. Raitton show a good deal
of promise, and there is no
doubt that as the season
progresses they will make more
progress. Even now Balston
gives signs of being a half-back
to be counted upon in League
matches. The scoring was by no
means rapid, but there were many
narrow escapes, several times the
ball hitting the cross-bar or the
posts. It appeared at one time
that no goals at all were to be
scored, but Goldenberg got the
ball at his feet and shot it into the
net with a fine kick. The result
was Colours 1, Whites 0.

Military Match.
The old rivals, 87th Company
R.G.A. and 88th Company R.G.A.,
met at Happy Valley on Satur-
day, a good crowd of spectators
gathering to see the game. By
the way, it is a pity that
the Military cannot have a
smoother ground to play on than
the one allotted to them. So much
better football could be seen, and
considering how popular football
is among the military, surely
more pains could be taken to
secure them a better ground, or,
at least, to have the present one put
in order. The first half looked as
though it would be goal-less until
Coventry gained the leather
and with considerable skill saw
to it that the ball best the
custodian. The 87th, through
Gorman, at half, had hard luck in
not equalising, the goalie saving
a very brilliant shot. When the
interval came round, 88th Com-
pany were in possession of the
point to their opponents' all.
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LOCAL SPORT.

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In the second moiety, Southworth, with a shot surprisingly weak, drew the scores level. Edgeler, judging from the display he gave at back for the 87th Company, will be a good man to watch during the season, and Youngman, too, is no novice at the game. The match ended in a draw.

AQUATIC SPORTS.

Interesting Ambulance Brigade Events.

In connection with the St. John's Ambulance Brigade Overseas (Hongkong and China District) well-attended aquatic sports were held at the Victoria Recreation Club on Saturday afternoon. Quite a large number of people were present and the events went off with a fine swing and the prizes were well fought for.

At the conclusion of the sports, the Hon. Mr. Oswald Severn distributed the prizes and in the course of a few words mentioned that Mr. Ralph, who always took a great interest in sports, was absent, which they all regretted. He also took a great interest in the Brigade Overseas in Hongkong. The St. John Ambulance Brigade had done very good work and these sports were an outward expression of its vitality. These were the first sports the Brigade had held in Hongkong and it was hoped they would encourage more of the younger members of the community to come forward next year. The Police Reserve this year had carried off most of the prizes, but next year he hoped they would be more evenly distributed. The medals presented by the Edward Dispensary and Dr. Thomas for the best swimmers at the meeting would go to Ip Kwan and Tin Yuk-on.

The events were as follow:—

Class B Handicap—50 yards.—(Challenge Cup presented by Mr. Chan Chan-nam)—1, Lam Yeung-chi; 2, Chan U-to; 3, Liu Yat-dang.

Brigade Championship race (Cup presented by Messrs. Ho Kwong and Brothers. Gold medal by Mr. E. Ralph)—1, Ip Kwan; 2, So Tat-heung.

Cadet Co's. Race—1, L. Stonham; 2, G. R. Logan; 3, G. Jack.

Brigade Team Race (Challenge Shield presented by Mr. Ellis Kadoorie)—1, Police Reserve; 2, Saiyungpan; 3, Chinese Y.M.C.A.

Swimming under water.—1, Leung Siu-sang; 2, Ip Kwan; 3, Tin Yuk-on.

Open event: 100 yards.—1, J. P. Johnson; 2, J. C. Finch; 3, C. E. Logan.

Long Plunge.—1, Ip Kwan; 2, Lau Hang-shun.

Class A Handicap—100 yds. (Challenge Cup presented by the Nam Yeung Tobacco Co.)—1, Leung Siu-sang; 2, Ip Kwan; 3, Ohoa Man-chan.

100 Yards Handicap, Open to V.B.C. Members.—1, S. R. Moore; 2, J. C. Finch; 3, E. C. Withell.

Life Saving Competition.—1, Ip Kwan; 2, Tin Yuk-on; 3, Lam Yeung-chi.

Grocery Pole.—1, Tin Yuk-on; 2, Tai Kin-kan; 3, Ip Kwan.

Diving for plates.—1, Tin Yuk-on; 2, Leung Siu-sang.

Consolation Race.—1, Ng Kwok Choi; 2, Edward Ho Tang.

HOCKEY.

Volunteers v. Navy.

The following will represent the Volunteers at Happy Valley at 5.15 p.m. to-morrow:—E. W. Hamilton; C. Balmer Johnson and F. A. Redmond; F. W. S. Evans, K. Brayshaw and E. J. R. Mitchell; B. D. Evans, F. R. Smyth, A. D. Ball, W. A. Cornell and R. A. Brand.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

R.N. Dockyard v. Venus Team.

An interesting rifle shooting match took place on Saturday between teams from the Naval Dockyard Recreation Club and of the Venus, at Tai Hang range. An annoying wind affected the shooting, making it impossible for the scores to be large. The ladies were also entertained, those responsible for the arrangements being Mesdames Goodman and Brock. At the conclusion, Mr. F. A. Brown, captain of the Dock-

yard team, complimented the Venus competitors on their keenness for all sport, and Mr. Parica replied. The scores were as follows:—

Dockyard Recreation Club.				
	200	500	600	Total.
yds. yds. yds.				
Mr. Goodman	27	31	30	88
Mr. Cousins	30	27	29	86
Mr. Sears	29	28	28	85
Mr. Elson	28	26	30	84
Mr. Brown (capt.)	28	28	26	82
Mr. Wright	27	28	23	78
Mr. Trueman	29	23	23	75
Mr. Brock	26	20	28	74

Total 224 209 217 650
Less 4 percent. for aperture sights 26

Swiggs "Venus."				
	200	500	600	Total.
yds. yds. yds.				
Mr. Perimeter	25	20	27	72
Mr. McLelland	25	22	20	67
Mr. Foote	24	19	23	66
Mr. Aufeld	23	20	20	63
Mr. Burbridge (capt.)	19	21	21	61
Mr. Fletcher	19	24	18	61
Mr. French	28	21	11	60
Mr. Treleaven	19	21	17	57

Total 182 168 157 507
Mason ... 19 25 7 51
Counted out.

THE GYMKHANA CLUB.

Programme for Next Meeting.

The programme for the next Gymkhana Meeting, to be held on the 28th inst., is as follows:—

1.—Five Furlongs Race. Handicap.—For China Ponies that have run in any race at the last Four Gymkhanas. Winners of Gymkhana Races this season other than Polo Scurries and Ladies' events barred. Entrance fee \$5. 1st Prize: \$150. 2nd Prize: \$75. 3rd Prize: \$40.

2.—Gymkhana Stakes.—Value \$200. Distance—One Mile. For all China Ponies. Catch weights at 10 st. 6 lb. Winners of an open race or open Griffin race or Ponies that have won the aggregate prize in the Gymkhana Stakes in any season 5 lb extra. Non-winning Subscription Griffin allowed 5 lb.

3.—Distance Handicap about Half a Mile.—For all China Ponies. Catch weights 150 lbs. Page will be placed on outside edge of course to mark the position of each pony according to the handicap (in yards) conceded. Winners at this meeting barred. Chalk lines will be drawn on the course from each peg, and since the race will be started by a sound which all can hear, there will be no need to watch the starter, and each rider must devote his whole attention to keeping his pony standing steady behind his line until the signal is given. Any rider then over his line or whose pony is moving forward faster than a walk, must return and start again or be disqualified. Entrance \$3. 1st Prize: \$75. 2nd Prize: \$50. 3rd Prize: \$20.

4.—Ladies' Event.—Conditions to be announced later. Post Entries.

5.—Class Handicap: B. Class: Once Round.—For China Ponies. Entrance \$5. 1st Prize: \$150. 2nd Prize: \$75. 3rd Prize: \$40.

6.—Polo Pony Scurry.—400 Yards.—For bona fide Polo Ponies to be ridden by playing members of the Hongkong Polo Club. Catch weights 160 lbs. Standing Start. Previous Winners of Polo Scurries this season barred. Entrance free. 1st Prize: \$30. 2nd Prize: \$20. 3rd Prize: \$15.

7.—Class Handicap: A. Class: One and a Quarter Mile Race.—For China Ponies. Entrance \$5. 1st Prize: \$150. 2nd Prize: \$75. 3rd Prize: \$40.

Entries for all events close to the Hon. Secretary on Wednesday, the 18th inst.

LATEST SHIPPING NEWS.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The P. & O. s.s. SOMALI which left Hongkong on the 15th Aug. inst., arrived in London on Friday evening, the 13th inst.
The P. & O. Homeward Mail Steamer KASIGAL with the Hongkong Mail of the 8th September last, arrived at Marseilles on Friday, the 12th inst.
The P. & O. Outward Mail Steamer MALWA with the London Mail of the 8th October last, arrived at Port Said on Saturday, the 14th inst.

IN A MILITARY AREA.

Three Japanese Clerks Fined.

Three Japanese clerks, employed in various offices in Hongkong, were charged before Mr. F. A. Hasselard, at the Police Court this morning, with trespassing on a military prohibited area at Lyceum on Sunday. They all pleaded guilty.

Captain Carr, of Lyceum Barracks, said that yesterday at about ten minutes past one o'clock he found the three men in the Military reserved area, which was prohibited. He told them they had no business there and that they must come with him. They followed and he took them down a path which led towards the A.S.O. pier at Lyceum. He asked them if they had come that way and they replied that they had. He then showed them a notice board at the beginning of the path stating, in Japanese, English, Chinese, French and German, that passage beyond the notice was prohibited. Where he found the men they could see the Lyceum defences, and that was the reason they had the notices put up.

Inspector Angus said the men were clerks in Hongkong.

The first defendant said that, it being Sunday, they had a walk to see the scenery and were passing along the coast when they saw a notice. They went back and met a soldier and asked him where they could best get a view of the harbour. He said they should go up the hill, where they would get a good view. They went up and just then the officer came up.

The other two men told a similar story.

Inspector Angus, in reply to his Worship, said the men were out on \$10 bail.

Captain Cassel said he considered the whole of the men had had military training and were able to see that they were looking at the Lyceum defences. He was not asked about bail, but, if, he had been, he would have asked for \$1,000.

Inspector Angus said he knew the men and knew they could not get away. They only had \$10 each on them.

Captain Cassel asked for the full penalty to be imposed.

His Worship fined each of the men \$250, or, in default, three months' hard labour.

Keeping Golfers in Hongkong.

Players on any of the courses of the Golf Club on the 19th inst., ("Our Day") will be expected to pay a fee of \$10.00. The amount collected will be given to the Red Cross Fund.

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Police Station between the hours
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Hongkong 9th, July, 1915.

LESSONS IN CHINESE.

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Liverpool via Ports	Ajax	B. & S.	7. Nov.
London via Ports	Pyrrhus	B. & S.	13. Nov.
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South American Ports	Seiyo M.	T. K. K.	9. Nov.
San Francisco via Japan	Karimoon	J. C. J. L.	11. Nov.
Seattle and Japan	Talhybus	B. & S.	21. Nov.
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Swatow	Haiching	D. L. Co.	16. Oct.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Sunkiang	B. & S.	16. Oct.
Tientsin	Huichow	B. & S.	17. Oct.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haitan	D. L. Co.	17. Oct.
Shanghai	Luchow	B. & S.	17. Oct.
Kobe and Moji	Kumsang	J. M. Co.	17. Oct.
Manila, Cebu and Iloilo	Farming	B. & S.	18. Oct.
Singapore to Calcutta	Japan	D. S. & Co.	18. Oct.
Calcutta via Ports	Colombo M.	N. Y. K.	18. Oct.
Manila	Liangchow	B. & S.	18. Oct.
Bombay via Ports	Bombay M.	N. Y. K.	18. Oct.
Shanghai, Moji and Kobe	Rangoon M.	N. Y. K.	19. Oct.
Shanghai	Shantung	B. & S.	19. Oct.
Shanghai	Choyesang	J. M. Co.	19. Oct.
Singapore	Tensho M.	J. M. Co.	20. Oct.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	D. L. Co.	20. Oct.
Manila	Loongsang	J. M. Co.	21. Oct.
Shanghai	Yingchow	B. & S.	22. Oct.
Hoihow and Haiphong	Loksang	J. M. Co.	22. Oct.
Shanghai, Kobe and Moji	Gregory A.	D. S. & Co.	24. Oct.
Manila, Cebu and Iloilo	Tean	B. & S.	24. Oct.
Shanghai and Japan	G. Apcar	D. S. & Co.	24. Oct.
Belawan Deli (Sumatra) via Swatow	J.C.J. L.		25. Oct.
Shanghai, Moji and Kobe	Nyanza	P. & O.	26. Oct.
Vladivostok	Mershire	J. M. Co.	26. Oct.
Shanghai to Yokohama	Kamo M.	N. Y. K.	27. Oct.
Manila	Yuen-sang	J. M. Co.	28. Oct.
Shanghai and Japan	Oanfa	B. & S.	3. Nov.
Manila	Talhybus	B. & S.	5. Nov.
Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Y'hama	Malta	P. & O.	6. Nov.
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VESSELS IN PORT.

Steamers:
Widely, Br., s.s. 4399, Ruthen, 4th Sept.
V. I. Bay, 20th Aug, Gen.—J. L.
August Belmont, Br., s.s. 4367, Clavel,
8th Sept.—Batavia, 3th Aug.
Balant—A. P. Co.
Iraminka, Br., s.s. 1,551, Mersey, 29th
Sept.—Manila, 26th Sept, Sausal
Wood-Lapique & Co.
Changsha, Br., s.s. 1,451, Gandhara, 1st
Oct.—Malabar, 15th Sept, Gen.—
B. & S.
Yatshing, Br., s.s. 1,434, Anderson, 3rd
Oct.—Kobe, 27th Sept, Gen.—J. M.
& Co.
H. peng, Br., s.s. 1,359, Robinson, 6th
Oct.—Singapore, 28th Sept, Gen.—
J. M. & Co.
Kiri M. Jan, s.s. 2,735, Sasaki, 6th Oct.
—Singapore, 29th Sept, Gen.—N.Y.K.
Namsang, Br., s.s. 2,591, Liddell, 7th Oct.
—Moji, 2nd Oct, Gen.—J. M. & Co.
Taka no, Br., s.s. 970, Matthews, 7th Oct.
—Haiphong, 5th Oct, Gen.—J. M.
& Co.
Tigoni, Dut., s.s. 1,055, Vyge om, 7th
Oct.—Singapore, 30th Sept, Petro-
leum—A. P. Co.
Kurohira M., Jan., s.s. 2,354, Nihiawa,
8th Oct.—Moji, 3rd Oct, Gen.—
N. Y. K.
Nippon M., Jan., s.s. 2,965, Nagano, 8th
Oct.—Shanghai, 5th Oct, Gen.—
T. K. K.
Hongmoh, Br., s.s. 3,551, Masan, 10th Oct.
—Singapore, 5th Oct, Gen.—Chinese.
Luzon M., Jan., s.s. 2,846, Watanabe, 10th
Oct.—Moji, 5th Oct, Gen.—O. S. K.
Yuen-sang, Br., s.s. 1,128, Meyney, 10th
Oct.—Manila, 7th Oct, Gen.—J. M.
& Co.
Waishing, Br., s.s. 1,160, Grant, 11th Oct.
—Saigon, 8th Oct, Rice—Order.
Amakusa M., Jan., s.s. 1,370, Konishi, 11th
Oct.—Swatow, 11th Oct, Gen.—
O. S. K.
Kyodo M., No. 13, Jan., s.s. 1,416, Puku-
shima, 11th Oct, Wakamatsu, 6th
Oct, Coal—M. B. K.
Tatouze, Fr., s.s. 672, Trocaur, 12th Oct.
—Bangkok, 3rd Oct, Coal—Chinese.
Fausing, Br., s.s. 1,410, Malkin, 12th Oct.
—Saigon, 8th Oct, Rice—J. M. & Co.
Irian, Br., s.s. 5,537, Black, 12th Oct.
—Manila, 4th Oct, Gen.—B. & S.
Sungking, Br., s.s. 967, Trowbridge, 12th
Oct.—Hoihow, 11th Oct, Gen.—
B. & S.
Chicago M., Jan., s.s. 3,636, Somekawa,
13th Oct.—Manila, 10th Oct, Gen.—
O. S. K.
Ikoman M., Jan., s.s. 1,971, Iwanaga,
13th Oct.—Munka, 7th Oct, Coal—
M. B. K.
Liangchow, Br., s.s. 1,227, Owen, 13th
Oct.—Bangkok, 6th Oct, Gen.—
B. & S.
Shinbu M., Jan., s.s. 3,272, Onosaki, 13th
Oct.—Munka, 7th Oct, Coal—M. B. K.
Tjilrong, Dut., s.s. 3,061, Schimbeck,
13th Oct.—Balikpapan, 4th Oct, Gen.—
J. C. J. L.
Hanoi, Fr., s.s. 739, Morvan, 13th Oct.
—Haiphong, 11th Oct, Gen.—A. R.
Marty.
Kumsang, Br., s.s. 2,077, Wheeler, 13th
Oct.—Singapore, 5th Oct, Gen.—
J. M. & Co.
Shanghai, Chi., s.s. 413, Laren, 13th Oct.
—Kwangtung, 12th Oct, Gen.—
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N. Y. K.	Gregory Apcar		Oct. 21	Calcutta
N. Y. K.	Kamakura Maru	12,540	Oct. 22	Victoria B.C.
N. Y. K.	Yeforofu Maru	8,000	Oct. 30	Bombay
N. Y. K.	Katori Maru	21,000	Oct. 31	London
N. Y. K.	Talhybus	10,234	Nov. 1	Seattle
N. Y. K.	Oanfa	9,014	Nov. 2	Liverpool
N. Y. K.	Cropps	9,032	Nov. 7	Liverpool
N. Y. K.	Talhybus	10,234	Nov. 13	Manila
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No. 3 Dock, Kowloon.....	175	5' 8"	10		5' 6"	
Patent Slip, No. 1 Kowloon.....	200	16'	10		5' 6"	
Patent Slip, No. 2 Kowloon.....	200	16'	10		5' 6"	
KAI-KOK-SIU						
Consolidated Dock.....	265	16'	20		5' 6"	
ABERDEEN						
East Dock.....	250	14'	25		5'	
Launch Dock.....	115	14'	25		5'	

TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from page 1.)

THE "TANKS".

(Reuter's Service to The "Telegraph.")

October 13, 12.45 p.m.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Lloyd George stated that the "tanks" had achieved very considerable success. The credit of the idea and the design was due to the Chief Naval Constructor of the Admiralty. The Secretary for War and Mr. Churchill, when he was First Lord, afforded it greatest encouragement in the carrying out of the construction.

KRUPPS AND THE N.D.L.

October 13, 12.45 p.m.

The Frankfurt "Zeitung" states that Krupps have purchased an interest in the Norddeutscher Lloyd.

This is the latest development in the post-war trade movement for linking up the banking, steel, iron, coal and shipping interests.

GERMAN WARFARE ON DUTCH SHIPS.

October 13, 12.45 p.m.

Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam states that the "Telegraf" publishes a list showing that the Germans have sunk 23 and attacked five Dutch vessels since the war opened.

THE MESOPOTAMIAN CAMPAIGN.

October 13, 12.45 p.m.

Commenting on a despatch by General Sir Percy Lake, published to-day, the "Times" remarks that it leaves a great deal unsaid. Doubtless the Commission will throw light on its omissions, particularly in regard to the blunders and fatal dilatoriness at Es-sinn.

UTILISING INDIA'S RAW MATERIALS.

October 13, 12.45 p.m.

Mr. Chamberlain, Secretary of State for India has authorised the Indian Committee of the Imperial Institute to inquire and report on the possibilities of extending the industrial and commercial utilisation of Indian raw materials in the United Kingdom and elsewhere in the Empire.

The Committee has appointed Sub-Committees to deal with the more important groups of materials and to consider the results of the investigations. Inquiries have already been conducted by the Imperial Institute to obtain the views of leading merchants, manufacturers and other users of India's raw products.

An important aspect of the Committee's work will be to suggest opening for the employment of those Indian materials which went to enemy countries before the war.

The Indian Committee includes Mr. C. C. McLeod, Chairman; Lord Islington, Sir J. H. Marshall, Sir A. Scott Reid, Sir John Hewitt, Sir R. W. Carlyle, Sir J. Dunlop Smith, Professor Wyndham, Professor Dunstan and Messrs. L. J. Korahaw, George Allen and Junr Ali.

GRAVE CHARGE REGARDING TREATMENT OF WOUNDED.

October 13, 3.15 p.m.

The "Morning Post" publishes an extremely bitter article on the treatment of the wounded in a certain hospital in India, in a dirty verminous barrack, with no punkahs and insufficient water, and where the cost of their keep is deducted from the pay of the wounded soldiers.

It demands the punishment of the responsible persons.

THE DUTCH INDIES REVOLT.

October 13, 5.55 p.m.

Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam states that the "Telegraf" publishes a telegram from Weltevreden, stating that a revolution has broken out at Palembang. The "Telegraf" characterises it as a "most serious fact."

AIRMAN REWARDED.

For Felling an Enemy Airships.

October 13, 8.45 p.m.

It is officially announced that the Distinguished Service Order has been awarded to Second Lieut. Joseph Tempest, of the Flying Corps, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in connection with the destruction of an enemy airship. There are no further details.

Felled a Zeppelin.

October 14, 2.10 p.m.

2nd Lieut. Tempest is the hero of the Potter's Bar Zeppelin. He was dining with several friends when the Zeppelin warning was issued. He immediately ascended in a biplane and was two hours in the air. After the Zeppelin was felled, he travelled parallel with it and then began to descend. He had to resort to nose-diving to escape a collision with the flaming mass. Afterwards he returned to finish dinner.

Tempest was educated at Stonyhurst and in the training ship Worcester. Then he became a mining engineer, and subsequently took up farming in South Africa and Canada.

IN THE BALKANS.

The Enemy's Line.

October 14, 1.15 a.m.

News from the French Eastern Army, on the Struma, says the enemy is building the front from Sere, Esarjak, Barakli, Drama and Jenina. The British are in contact with the Centre and Left. There has been an almost continuous artillery duel.

Six Enemy Attacks Repulsed.

October 14, 1.15 a.m.

An official Bukharest despatch says that in Transylvania the cavalry repulsed six enemy infantry attacks at the Maigherus Pass. West of Oturu the enemy were repulsed and retreated to Predcal, east of Toerzburg and also in the Buzen Valley where we inflicted sanguinary losses in a night attack and repulsed him to the west of Caines. On the southern front the artillery and infantry were engaged all along the Danube. Dobrudja is quiet.

Great Enemy Losses.

October 15, 4.20 a.m.

A Bukharest communique states that the Rumanians re-captured the village of Soemetzoe in Eastern Transylvania, after desperate street fighting. They repulsed two enemy attacks at Predcal Pass, south of Braess, and stormed three heights in the vicinity of Vulcan Pass, inflicting great losses on the enemy who retired disordered.

At Guivalla, in the Toerzburg Pass, the Rumanians were compelled to retire to Rucaru.

An enemy attack on the Rumanian Left Wing in Dobrudja was repulsed.

Boats containing Bulgarian troops were sunk at several places on the Danube.

TELEGRAMS.

THE ALLIED OFFENSIVE.

Considerable Hostile Shelling.

(Reuter's Service to The "Telegraph.")

October 14, 1.5 a.m.

General Sir Douglas Haig, in an official announcement says that south of the Ancre there has been considerable hostile shelling, especially in the Guedecourt and Martinpich areas and to the north of Courcellette. Otherwise there is nothing to report. A party's attempt to raid our trenches at Wulverghem, after bombardment, has broken down.

A Lively Artillery Duel.

October 14, 1.5 a.m.

According to Reuter's Paris correspondent, it is officially announced that south of the Somme an extremely lively artillery duel continues. To the north, a German attack with flammenwerfer resulted in the capture of elements of trenches at the outskirts of St. Pierre Vaast wood. At Verdun there has been intermittent reciprocal artillery fire.

Successful British Raids.

October 14, 3.15 p.m.

General Sir Douglas Haig reports:—We carried out two successful raids on enemy trenches North-west of Ypres and South-west of Hulluch.

Enemy Driven Out.

October 14, 4.10 p.m.

A Paris communique states:—South of the Somme, after a violent barrage fire, the Germans powerfully attacked our Ablaincourt positions. They succeeded in occupying part of the village and the trenches on the north-east, but an immediate counter-attack immediately drove them out.

North of the Somme we progressed at Malassie Ridge.

A fog hampered air work.

British Position Improved.

October 15, 12.45 a.m.

Sir Douglas Haig reports: In local attacks to-day we appreciably improved our position, and in the neighbourhood of Schwaben Redoubt we have taken 200 prisoners. There has been nothing elsewhere apart from artillery and trench mortar activity.

Brilliant French Attacks.

October 15, 12.15 a.m.

A Paris communique says that south of the Somme two French attacks were brilliantly successful. In the one to the west of Bellouy en Santerre, we captured the first German line on a front of two kilometres, and in the other we captured Genemont and a sugar refinery, 1,200 metres north-east of Ablaincourt. Numerous prisoners were taken. So far 800 unwounded, including 17 officers, have been sent to the rear.

Outskirts of Transloy Occupied.

October 14, 2.10 p.m.

It is semi-officially reported in Paris that the British already occupy the outskirts of Transloy, which is defended most desperately, for the fall will compel the enemy to abandon the line of heights between Guedecourt and Morval.

THE SINKING OF THE BLOOMERSDIJK.

October 14, 2.25 a.m.

A telegram from the Hague states that in reply to the Dutch representations regarding the sinking of the Bloomersdijk, the German Government promises compensation without reference to Prize Court if it is proved that the Submarine Commander exceeded his instructions.

THE LILLE DEPORTATIONS.

October 14, 2.25 a.m.

A telegram from Amsterdam states that a Committee of the Reichstag discussed the Lille deportations. Dr. Helfferich and the representatives of some of the Foreign Offices contended that the deportations were internationally legal as there was a shortage of workmen in Germany and idle foreigners could not be allowed to burden the Relief Funds. It was admitted that blunders had been unavoidable.

BIG SHIPPING DEAL.

October 14, 6.15 a.m.

Sir John Ellerman has arranged to acquire the whole of the shares of the shipowners Sir Thomas Wilson Sons and Co., of Hull.

Reasons for the Amalgamation.

October 14, 12.25 p.m.

The Wilson Line state that the amalgamation with was necessary to meet post-war competition of neutrals, who are making larger profits than British shipowners. The transfer brings two hundred vessels with a deadweight carrying capacity of nearly a million and a half tons under the control of the Ellerman Line.

NORWAY'S STAND ON SUBMARINE QUESTION.

October 14, 1.05 p.m.

Reuter's correspondent at Christiania states that Norway has prohibited belligerent submarine warfare from entering Norwegian waters except in order to save life, or in bad weather, otherwise they will be liable to attack.

Other submarines will be allowed to enter in daylight unarmoured, and showing their national colours so as not to risk damage by mistake.

FRENCH AUXILIARY CRUISER SUNK.

October 14, 4.10 p.m.

Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam quotes a German official announcement that a submarine sank the French cruiser Rigel in the Mediterranean.

The Rigel was an old merchantman, of 3,500 tons.

AIRMEN PROMOTED.

October 14, 1.45 p.m.

The "Gazette" announces that Lieut. Robinson, V.O., and Second Lieut. Brandon, flight commanders, have been promoted temporary captains.

TELEGRAMS.

THE ITALIANS.

The Carso Victory.

(Reuter's Service to The "Telegraph.")

October 14, 2.10 p.m.

Reuter's Rome correspondent says it is semi-officially reported that the Austrians considered the first line positions in the Carso the strongest. They extended only seven miles, nullifying the numerical superiority of the Italians; also its straightness entailed an attack being made on the whole extent. When the Italians captured important points of this line, the Austrians feverishly began to prepare a second line, which was then only laid out. The Italians are now attacking this.

Enemy Abandons Prisoners.

October 14, 8.40 p.m.

A Rome communique says:—We are extending our occupation of Sober Ridge, south-east of Gorizia, where the enemy has abandoned prisoners and large quantities of arms and ammunition.

There has been comparative quiet in the Carso region, where a hundred prisoners have been taken.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

October 14, 12.25 p.m.

The British steamer Gardepe has been sunk. Eleven of the crew are missing.

DUTCH EXCESS PROFITS DUTY.

October 14, 12.25 p.m.

It is understood that a Bill will be presented in the Dutch Parliament providing for an extension of the excess profits duty to Companies in Dutch East Indies. The "Times" points out that if this proposal is adopted it will impose a serious burden on British-owned Dutch estates. Possibly they will be allowed to deduct 30 per cent Dutch Excess Profits duty from amount assessable to British Excess Profits duty, in which case the British Treasury would be the loser.

ELIMINATING ENEMY INTERESTS.

October 14, 2.50 p.m.

The "Times" says there is a growing feeling in the City in favour of the complete and speedy elimination of enemy interests, particularly of German and semi-German banks, which did an enormous business in acceptances with the object of discovering secrets of British trade, and who were the best buyers and best sellers. These particulars were forwarded to Berlin and distributed among German business men, thus enabling them to successfully compete in business.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Further Questions by the Hon. Mr. Pollock.

The business for to-morrow's meeting of the Legislative Council includes the following:—

Prisoners from Wei-hai-wai.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary will move:—"That the President and Members of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Hongkong do approve of the Agreement dated the 29th day of July, 1916, made between His Excellency Sir Francis Henry May, K.C.M.G., Governor of Hongkong and His Honour Sir James Haldane Stewart Lockhart, K.C.M.G., Commissioner of Wei-hai-wai for the removal of Prisoners under sentence or order of transportation imprisonment or penal servitude at Wei-hai-wai to Hongkong for the purpose of undergoing their punishment at Hongkong and of an address being presented to His Most Gracious Majesty King George V praying that His Majesty may be pleased to sanction an Order in Council allowing the removal of such prisoners on the terms contained in such Agreement which is laid upon the table of this Council."

Public Convenience.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary will move the following resolution under Section 170 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903:—"Whereas application has been duly made by the Sanitary Board to the Governor under Section 187 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, for the erection on the site of the existing Public Urinal situated at the junction of Albany, Garden, Peak and Robinson Roads of an underground trough closet latrine; And whereas such application having been duly approved by the Governor and a notification of the intention to erect an underground trough closet latrine on such site having been duly published in three successive numbers of the Gazette, a certain owner in the vicinity has objected to such erection: And whereas such objection has been duly considered: It is hereby resolved by this Council that the above mentioned site and the erection thereof of an underground trough closet latrine be and the same are hereby approved."

Government Civil Hospital.

The Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock K.C. will ask the following questions:—

1. Of the sum of \$9,905, \$10,147, and \$9,715 stated at the last meeting of Council to have been expended in the years 1913, 1914, and 1915, respectively, will the Government state

(i) how much of that expenditure represents drugs and disinfectants

(a) supplied from home?

(b) purchased locally?

(ii) whether it is not the fact that the price of drugs and disinfectants has gone up considerably since the beginning of the war, with the result that the same sum of money purchased considerably less drugs and disinfectants since the war than it did before the war?

(iii) whether any savings were effected on the amounts voted for drugs and disinfectants in the years 1914 and 1915 or either of them, and, if so, what were the amounts of such savings?

2. With reference to the morning allocation of Sisters at the Civil Hospital which was announced by His Excellency the Governor at the Council Meeting of the 3rd August last, namely—A Block, Morning, 1 Sister on each floor; Operating Theatre, 1 Sister; will the Government state (i) on what dates between the 22nd August and the date of these Questions (12th October) it has been found possible to carry out the said intended morning scheme of allocation, namely, 1 Sister on each floor of A Block; and a separate Sister for the Operating Theatre; and (ii) on what dates, between the said dates, One Sister alone has had to attend in the morning not only to the two floors in A Block but also to the Operating Theatre as well, that is to say, to do work which, under the above scheme of allocation, is supposed to be done by three Sisters.

Orders of the Day

The orders of the day are:—

First reading of a Bill intituled An Ordinance to apply a sum not exceeding Eight million six hundred and five thousand one hundred and five Dollars to the Public Service of the year 1917.

First reading of a Bill intituled An Ordinance to make provision in connection with the present war with respect to Bills of Exchange payable outside the Colony.

First reading of a Bill intituled An Ordinance to authorise the raising of a War Loan.

Second reading of the Bill intituled An Ordinance to amend further the Alien Exemption (Winding-up) Ordinance, 1914.

Will not be proceeded with at this meeting.

SHARE MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Up to the Minute.

Douglas	b. \$ 122.50.
Indos (Def.)	b. \$ 122.50.
China Sugar	b. \$ 119.00.
Malacca Sugar	b. \$ 37.00.
K'loon Docks	a. \$ 133.00.
S'hai Docks	b. T. 86.00.
Ewos	b. T. 180.00.
Kang Yika	b. \$ 15.75.
S'hai Ostons	b. \$ 111.00.
Yangtsepoos	b. \$ 6.00.
Cements	b. \$ 10.00.

POLICE RESERVE ORDERS.

Orders issued to-day by Mr. J. W. Franks, A. S. P. (Reserve) state:—

Parade.

Thursday, Oct. 19. — Men warned for duty will parade at Cricket Ground at 2.30 p.m. sharp. Helmets and rifles.

Musketry.

Members who have sent in their names for the Instruction Class will attend Central Station at 5.15 p.m. on Tuesdays and Fridays commencing October 17. They will be exempt from drills ordered for those days.

Equipment.

Equipment Officers must submit to the D.S.P.R.'s office not later than Saturday, Oct. 21, requisition for blue uniform required by their respective units for 1916-17.

CHINESE AFFAIRS.

The Ministry of Communications.

Peking, October 5.—Mr. Hsu Shih-yin, Minister of Communications, has issued a Ministerial order stating that the present policy of the Ministry will be one of strict economy as the Ministry owes fully \$460,000,000 to foreign capitalists for the construction of the various railways, and the receipts have only amounted to a little more than 440 millions, so that the Government loses about \$20,000,000 every year. Hence there will be more loss if new loans are floated in foreign countries for the construction of railways in China. The policy of the Government towards railways is not to borrow foreign money to build new lines during the continuance of the European war; but to devote attention to the reorganisation of the various existing railways with a view at least to balance receipts and expenditure.

Regarding the post and telegraph services, Mr. Hsu says that the policy of the Government is gradually to extend them to all the provinces and special administrative areas. According to latest reports, the Government made a net profit of one and half million dollars in 1915 so that, with fresh reforms introduced into the services, the receipts ought to increase still more. The profit from these services will be used for their extension throughout the country.

With regard to navigation, Mr. Hsu says that the policy of the Government is to assist Chinese merchants to extend the steamship service in and outside China. Although the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company has been in existence for over fifty years, to the present, it has only about thirty steamers whose activities are confined within the Chinese Empire, and the Chinese flag is not seen in foreign waters. Owing to want of capital, steamship companies owned by Chinese in the South Seas cannot extend their business. The Ministry will therefore try to co-operate with these companies by protecting and assisting them to extend their trade in foreign countries for the improvement of China's marine.

The Ministry adds that it is also necessary to train men to manage these four branches of communications under proper laws, which are shortly to be submitted to Parliament.—N. O. Daily News.

ENTERTAINMENT.

WAR CHARITIES.

"OUR DAY"

THURSDAY, 19TH OCTOBER,
will be devoted all over the Empire to collecting funds for

THE BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY

AND THE ORDER OF ST. JOHN OF JERUSALEM

IN AID OF THE WOUNDED.

LADY MAY'S ROSE FUND.

20,000 roses have been given, and will be sold throughout the day by numerous ladies and school children. Subscriptions to the Rose Fund will also be gladly received at any time before the day by Lady May at Government House, who will send a rose with the acknowledgement.

GREAT ENGLISH FAIR.

In the Afternoon, from 3 till 7, on the Murray Parade Ground. COCONUT SHIES. WILD WEST SHOW. DANCING ENCLOSURE. THE MAN IN THE TUB. JUNGLE SHOOTING RANGE. CHILDREN'S MAYPOLE DANCE. (Elephants, Lions, and the Peak Tiger). THE LUCKY WELL. RED CROSS COMPETITIONS. INDIAN TORCH DANCE. THE "EVERYTHING" STORES. TWO BANDS. THE SWANKS.

ALL THE FUN OF THE FAIR.

Entrance 50 Cents.

FETE AND ILLUMINATIONS.

In the Evening, from 9 till 11.30, at the Public Gardens. CONCERT. TWO BANDS. Entrance, \$1; seats in Reserved Enclosures, \$2 and \$1 extra.

Refreshments on sale during the Afternoon and Evening.

Tickets obtainable at MOUTRIE'S and the ROBINSON PIANO CO. and from MEMBERS OF THE WAR CHARITIES COMMITTEE. E. R. HALLIFAX, Hon. Secretary.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

"The What Nots"

Today, at 5.15 p.m. the "What Nots" are giving a special matinee at the Victoria Theatre, on behalf of the War Charities. Prices are as usual. A special feature of the entertainment will be Miss Irene Beryl's "poses plastiques", in which she appeared last night for the first time.

The "What Nots" give their final performance to-night after a season which has been remarkably successful, even in spite of the many other special attractions to which the Colony has been treated recently. Their programme last night included two very amusing sketches: "Fun in a Restaurant" and "Excelsior," together with various excellent songs and dance turns. Miss Beryl's "poses plastiques" were one of the most artistic shows we have seen in Hongkong, and should prove a great attraction to this afternoon's matinee and to-night's closing performance.

With next to no waiting between the events, she appears, successively, as a bust of Diana, Ophelia, a child at prayer, Psyche, the figure in the "Book of Ages" picture, "The Awakening," the Cawnpore Well Woman, Spring, Mercia ("The Sign of the Cross"), Mercury, the Goddess of Liberty and Britannia. The series of tableaux is perfect throughout, and the whole performance is entirely artistic and refined. This little lady has also shown Hongkong much that is new in the way of descriptive dancing, and such a clever girl should have a fine future before her. Her partner, Charlie, afforded further proof of his versatility last night, in a well-rendered solo. Charlie will always be an attraction in himself, for nothing comes amiss to him; his singing, dancing, in comedy, whistling and clowning, are all of good quality and will make him a big favourite wherever he goes. The Great Revue Bobbery gave fresh exhibitions of his conjuring skill last night, adding further to his popularity. Old stagers in Hongkong will remember his performances here over five and twenty years ago, under the name of Jensen.

The many who have enjoyed the "What Nots" shows during the past few weeks will regret that their season has come to an end, and will look forward to seeing acquaintance with them on their return journey.

GEO. P. LAMMERT.

AUCTIONEER, SHARE & GENERAL BROKER.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

MONDAY, October 16, 1916.

commencing at 11 a.m.

at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street.

A Quantity of Valuable Household Furniture

Comprising:—

Double brass bedstead, carved cherrywood bedstead, dressing tables, marble top washstands, double wardrobe, chest of drawers, overmantels, brass fender, etc., etc.

Teak sideboard with bevelled panels, card table, writing table, blackwood and easy chairs, oil paintings, engravings, etc., etc.

Also

4 Velvet Pile Carpets (New).

1 Grand Piano by John Broadwood & Sons.

1 Pianola Piano with a fine selection of records.

On view from Saturday, the 14th inst.

Catalogues will be issued.

Terms:—Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC AUCTION

at

Shameen, Canton.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

TUESDAY, October 24, 1916.

commencing at 11 a.m.

at the Codowns of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Shameen, Canton.

1 Remington Marine Oil Engine (6 H.P.)

2 Electric Motors (6 H.P. & 13 H.P.)

1 Switchboard.

1 Dynamo.

1 Search Light.

88 Kitting Machines.

3 Hat Sewing Machines.

2 Silk Looms.

1 Towel Loom.

22 Cash Boxes.

1 Horse Gear Pump.

6 Emery Grinders.

55 Tobacco Knives.

6 Desk Fans.

36 Bales Yarn (12s & 16s)

33 Cases Claret.

On view from Monday, the 23rd inst.

Terms:—Hongkong bank notes on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

POST OFFICE.

Correspondence addressed to enemy subjects in China, Siam, Liberia and Portuguese East Africa, Persia and Morocco cannot be transmitted.

The Services to Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and the Ottoman Empire are suspended.

Ships in communication with Cape D'Agulhar Radio Telegraph Station:—

MAILS DUE.

Europe (via Negapatam)—Per ATLANTIC, 23rd Oct.

MAILS CLOSE.

Fort Bayard—Per TAISENA, 16th Oct, 5 p.m.

TO-MORROW.

Philippine I.L. Japan via Nacasaki, Honolulu & United States, Canada, Central & South America via San Francisco & United Kingdom via Canada—Per NIPPON M., 17th Oct, Registration 5 p.m. 16th. Letters 9 a.m. 17th.

Swatow & Bangkok—Per HALDIS, 17th Oct, 10 a.m.

Hongkong—Per TOWA MARU, 17th Oct, 11 a.m.

Haiphong & Bangkok—Per OHOFU M., 17th Oct, Noon.

Swatow, Amoy & Foochow—Per HAITAN, 17th Oct, 1.30 p.m.

Formosa via Keelung, Japan via Kobe, Victoria, Vancouver, United States, Canada, Central & South America, & United Kingdom via Canada—Per IXION, 17th Oct, Registration 1.45 p.m. Letters 2.30 p.m.

Shanghai & N. China, (Europe via Siberia)—Per LUCHOW, 17th Oct, Registration 2.15 p.m. Letters 3 p.m.

[Shanghai Ch. P. O. Saturday, 21st Oct.]

Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin—Per HUI-CHOW, 17th Oct, 3 p.m.

Swatow, Amoy & Formosa via Tamsui—Per JOSHIN M., 17th Oct, 5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 18th October.

Saigon—Per FAUSANG, 18th Oct, 8 a.m.

Fort Bayard & Haiphong—Per HANOL, 18th Oct, 9 a.m.

Philippine I.L.—Per LIANGCHOW, 18th Oct, 1 p.m.

THURSDAY, 19th October.

Shanghai & N. China, (Europe via Siberia)—Per SHANTUNG, 19th Oct, Registration 2.15 p.m. Letters 3 p.m.

Cebu & Manila—Per TAMINGO, 19th Oct, 3 p.m.

FRIDAY, 20th October.

Straits, Ceylon, Durie & Johannesburg, Cape Town & United Kingdom—Per FUSHIMI M., 20th Oct, Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters 10 a.m.

Straits, Burmah, Ceylon, Adelaide, Westralia, India, Aden, Egypt & Europe. (The parcel mail will be closed on Thursday, 19th Oct, at 5 p.m.)—Per NOVABA, 20th Oct, Registration 10.15 a.m. Letters 11 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy & Foochow—Per HAITAN, 20th Oct, 1.30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 1st November.

Shanghai, N. China, Japan via Nacasaki, Victoria, Vancouver, United States, Canada, Central & South America & United Kingdom via Canada, (Europe via Siberia)—Per EMPRESS OF RUSSIA, 1st Nov., Registration 4.15 p.m. Letters 5 p.m.

[Shanghai Ch. P. O. Monday, 6th Nov.]

FRIDAY, 3rd November.

Philippine I.L., Australia & New Zealand via Port Darwin & New Guinea via Thursday I.L.—Per TAIYUAN, 3rd Nov., Registration 10.15 a.m. Letters 11 a.m.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Per JAPAN, from Kobe, on Oct. 15.

Per HAITAN, from Swatow, on Oct. 15.

Per Dr. R. C. White Master.

Per Mr. & Mrs. White Master.

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVED.

Chofu M. Jap., sa. 233, Takahashi, 14th Oct.—Batavia, 6th Oct. Gen.—China.

Haidi, Nor., sa. 1,555, Green, 14th Oct.—Swatow, 13th Oct. Gen.—T. & Co.

Town M. Jap., sa. 1,785, Totsu, 14th Oct.—Kanton, 6th Oct. Coal—M. B. E.

Demodocus, Br., sa. 4,269, Beran, 14th Oct.—Shanghai, 12th Oct. Gen.—B. & S.

Japan, Br., sa. 3,806, Sullivan, 15th Oct.—Kobe, 9th Oct. Gen.—D. & Co.

Haitan, Br., sa. 1,183, Thomson, 15th Oct.—Swatow, 14th Oct. Gen.—D. L. & Co.

Albion, Br., sa. 1,770, Betts, 16th Oct.—Chinawang, 9th Oct. Coal—D. & Co.

Chingchow, Br., sa. 1,195, Doyle, 16th Oct.—Port Paravai, 13th Oct. Lime stone—S. T. & Co.

Kwanah, Chi., sa. 1,541, Stewart, 16th Oct.—Shanghai, 13th Oct. Gen.—C. M. & N. Co.

Shantung, Br., sa. 1,568, Meathrel, 16th Oct.—Shanghai, 15th Oct. Gen.—B. & S.

Telemaque, Br., sa. 1,340, Fraser, 16th Oct.—Shanghai, 14th Oct. Rice—China.

Taipei M. Jap., sa. 2,101, H. ri-chi, 16th Oct.—Dairen, 9th Oct. Coal—M.B.K.

DEPARTED.

Oct. 13.

Ecuador for San Francisco via Shanghai

Oct. 14.

Brisbane for Bangkok

Lochow for Canton

Wellow for Singapore

Suifu for K. C. Wan via Macao

Wongmang for Shanghai via Foochow

Suifu for Bangkok

Suychiro M. for Canton

Kichow for Canton

Yima M. for Kobe

Chunwang for Saigon

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.

Oct. 14.

Namsang for Cebu via Singapore.

Tetoute for Paquet

Wahing for Swatow

Amakua M. for Keelung via Swatow

Kwanglee for Shanghai

Shawing for Newchwang

Yuenang for Manila

Amul for Shanghai

Shinbu M. for Moji

Myogian M. for Hai, hong

Oct. 16.

Koura M. for Lima Island

Savanta for Haiphong

Haiching for Swatow

Shantung for Canton

Sungkiang for Haiphong via Harlow

Lauries for Saigon

Tji iwong for Kobe

NOTICES.

THE DAIRY FARM CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTIETH ORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above COMPANY will be held at the Company's Town Office, 2, Lower Albert Road, Hongkong, on MONDAY, October 30, at 12. NOON, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to July 31, 1916.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, October 14, to WEDNESDAY, November 1, 1916, both days inclusive.

By Order,

M. MANUK, Secretary.

THE CHINA LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE FIFTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, St. George's Building, No. 6, Connaught Road, Victoria, on Saturday the 21st day of October, 1916, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st July 1916, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to 21st October 1916, both inclusive.

SHEWAN TOMES & CO. General Agents.

Hongkong, October 5, 1916

TECHNICAL INSTITUTE.

The Institute will re-open on MONDAY, the 30th of October.

Copies of Prospectus and entry forms may be obtained on application to the Director of the Institute at the Education Department, Hongkong, October 13, 1916.

THE ALEXANDRA CAFE.

Just arrived, Fresh assorted American Syrets.

WEATHER REPORT.

On the 16th at 11.45—Pressure has decreased considerably over N. and central Japan and slightly over S. Formosa. It has increased moderately at Shanghai and over S. Japan, and slightly over the Loochoos, N. Formosa and the S.E. coast of China. Changes elsewhere are small.

A depression is shown over S. Hokkaido. An anticyclone covers central China and a shallow depression covers the S. China Sea.

Fresh monsoon is indicated along the east coast of China and over the N. China Sea.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total since January 1st, 79.13 inches, against an average of 79.23 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW

District.	Forecast.
1 Hongkong to Gap Rock.	N.E. winds, fresh, fine.
2 Formosa Channel.	N.E. winds, strong.
3 South coast of China between H.K. and Hainan.	The same as No. 1.
4 South coast of China between H.K. and Loochoos.	The same as No. 1.

China Coast Meteorological Register.

16th October, a.m.

Station.

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Barometer.

Temperature.

Humidity.

Winds.

Force.

Weather.

Vostock 6a

Nemuro 5a

Hakodate

Tokio

Kobe

Nagasaki

Kagima

Oshima

Naha

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